

IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly replace the claims of record with the following full set of claims:

1. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror (~~1~~) for viewing purposes having:
 - a first plane (~~2~~) reflecting light of a first kind of polarization (~~20~~¹) to a viewing side, the mirror passing light of a second kind of polarization (~~20~~²) and
 - a foil on a non-viewing side of said mirror, said foil being orientated at a known angle with respect to said first kind of polarization; and
 - ~~being provided with~~ a display device (~~5~~) at its non-viewing side, which display device, during use, provides light of the second kind of polarization, the polarizing mirror having on ~~[[at]]~~ the non viewing side at least partly at least one absorbing layer (~~30~~²), wherein said foil and said absorbing layer comprise a retarder layer causing rotation of said light over a known number of degrees.
2. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 1 wherein
 - the at least one absorbing layer comprising an absorbing polarizing layer.
3. (original) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 2 the absorbing polarizing layer absorbing light of the second kind of polarization.
4. (Previously presented) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 2, having a structured polarizing layer.

5. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim [[2]] 1, wherein the absorbing polarizing layer and the polarizing mirror at its non-viewing side ~~both comprising a retarder layer (35, 36), which~~ rotates the polarization over substantially 45 degrees.
6. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim [[5]] 1, wherein the foil retarder layer comprising a $\frac{1}{4} \lambda$ foil ~~(35, 36)~~.
7. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 5, the absorbing ~~polarizing~~ layer comprising sub-layers absorbing light of the first kind of polarization and absorbing light of the second kind of polarization.
8. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 7, having locally a display device ~~(5)~~ at its non-viewing side, the absorbing ~~layer polarizer~~ being provided at least at ~~[[the]]~~ a non-display area.
9. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 1, ~~having at least one wherein said~~ retardation layer ~~(31, 32)~~ between the display device and the polarizing mirror ~~which~~ rotates the polarization over substantially 90 degrees.
10. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim [[9]] 1, the foil

~~retardation layer~~ comprising at least one $\frac{1}{2} \lambda$ foil.

11. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 1, in which the polarizing mirror has a housing ~~(12)~~, the housing at least at the back of the display device at its inner side being provided with ~~[[the]]~~ an absorbing polarizer.

12. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim ~~[[12]]~~ 2, the absorbing polarizing layer and the polarizing mirror at its non-viewing side ~~comprising a retarder layer, which~~ rotates the polarization over substantially 45 degrees.

13. (Currently amended) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 12, the absorbing polarizing layer ~~absorbing polarizing layer~~ comprising sub-layers absorbing light of the first kind of polarization and absorbing light of the second kind of polarization.

14. (original) A polarizing mirror as claimed in claim 13, the display device having at the non-viewing side of the polarizing mirror an absorbing polarizer.